

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 854

January Session, 2015



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: SEN. BYE, 5th Dist.

AN ACT REPLACING REFERENCES TO "CRIPPLED" AND "DEFECTIVE EYESIGHT" IN THE GENERAL STATUTES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to replace any references to (1)
- 2 the term "crippled" with "disabled", and (2) the term "defective
- 3 eyesight" with "visually impaired".

Statement of Purpose:

To remove offensive terminology from the general statutes.

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